

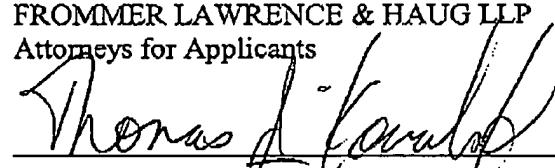
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The herein amendments cancel claims 2 and 3. No new matter is added. Early and favorable examination on the merits is requested.

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